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SUBJECT: AMCIT MISSIONARIES IN SHABA

REF: STATE 93353

- 1. ZAMISH PASSED CONTENTS OF PARA 1 REFTEL TO DDN DIRECTOR GENERAL MG BABIA WHO TOOK NOTE OF US CONCERN. AMBASSADOR ATTEMPTING TO SEE FOMIN NGUZA, WHO IS CURRENTLY IN LUBUMBASHI WITH MOBUTU, TO CONVEY SAME MESSAGE.
- 2. EMBASSY MISSIONARY SOURCES IN KINSHASA HAVE NO RPT NO INFORMATION CONCERNING POSSIBILITY OF SOME MISSIONARIES IN SHABA HAVING GONE TO ANGOLA. UNLESS THEY WERE FORCIBLY MOVED TO ANGOLA (AND LOCAL OFFICE HERE UNAWARE OF THIS), MISSIONARIES WOULD EVACUATE TO ZAMBIA. CONFIDENTIAL

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- 3. AMCONSUL LUBUMBASHI REPORTS IT HAS NO INFORMATION ABOUT MOVEMENTS OF MISSIONARIES INTO ANGOLA BUT NOTES IT VERY POSSIBLE FOR THEM TO MOVE ACROSS THE BORDER. CONSULATE IS CHECKING FURTHER INTO SITUATION.
- 4. DEPARTMENT MAY WISH TO CHECK WITH METHODIST CENTER IN NEW YORK.

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